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System and Method for Data Encryption and Compression

(Encompression)

Mail Stop Amendment

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Dear Sir:

Response to Office Action Containing Restriction Requirement

In response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2007, which includes a restriction requirement, Applicant elects to prosecute Claims 1-30 in this Application. Applicant has canceled Claims 31-34 without prejudice or disclaimer. This election is made to expedite issuance of a patent from this Application. This election does not necessarily reflect any agreement with or acquiescence to the Examiner's conclusions.